

Registration Form

Name _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____

Work Phone _____

Email _____

BHRL is held in a camp setting. Housing consists of comfortable cabins with a central bath & shower house. Limited lodge housing is available for an additional fee with consideration given on an as needed basis. Please indicate if you think you may need a room in the lodge.

Amount Enclosed (check box that applies)

- ☐ Early, early bird registration fee \$225
(with full payment of fee by June 1, 2009)
- ☐ Early bird registration fee \$250
(with full payment of fee by July 1, 2009)
- ☐ Full registration fee \$275
(postmarked by September 15, 2009)

- ☐ Please reserve a room in the lodge \$50
(please include lodge payment with your registration fee)

Please list any special needs you may have (dietary, mobility, etc.)

Fee is partially refundable if cancellation is received by Sep. 10.

Please return this form with your check made payable to Black Hills Recreation Leaders Lab. (BHRL)

Send Registration to:

Additional conference information
will be sent to you upon
receipt of your registration form.

Karen Ward
107 Second Street
Big Timber, MT 59011

Age Group

- ☐ Under 25
- ☐ 26 - 45
- ☐ 46 - 65
- ☐ 65 +
- ☐ I prefer my notebook on cd
- ☐ I prefer a paper copy of my notebook
- ☐ First time participant
- ☐ Please send scholarship application

Questions? Please call:

Karen Ward 406-932-6747
Susan Michalakes 401-294-7209

Presorted Standard
U.S. Postage
PAID
Big Timber MT
PERMIT NO. 6



RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Black Hills Recreation Leaders Laboratory

Annual Leadership Conference

33rd Annual
Outlaw Ranch
near Custer, South Dakota

October 3-9, 2009
Saturday afternoon through Friday breakfast

Black Hills Recreation Leaders Laboratory is a non-profit educational organization established in 1946 and dedicated to teaching leadership and personal growth through recreation. The Leadership Conference is held annually each fall in a camp setting and offers hands-on workshops in a variety of areas designed to expand leadership experiences.

Black Hills Recreation Leaders Laboratory

October 3-9, 2009

Saturday afternoon through Friday breakfast

at **Outlaw Ranch**

near Custer in the beautiful Black Hills of South Dakota

*Learn Leadership
through Recreation*

Four Lenses Temperament Discovery

Learn how to effectively interact with other temperament types to build healthy relationships, both within the family and the workplace.

Major Workshops

- ◆ Team Building from the Eyes of the Leader
 - ◆ Stained Glass
 - ◆ Improv
- ◆ Enjoying Our Natural Resources



Personal Growth

Gain knowledge and share sk



Minor Workshops:

- ◆ Rappelling
- ◆ Birding Basics
- ◆ Chenille Scarves
- ◆ Big Prop Games



Sharing Exchange techniques, thoughts, and ideas about leadership skills and the value of creative use of leisure time.

Rec Lab is designed for the re-creation of the whole person.



- ◆ Junior Master Gardeners
- ◆ Applique Needle Felting
- ◆ Undercurrents of Leadership
- ◆ Teambuilding
- ◆ Laugh for the Health of It
- ◆ Equine Assisted Learning
- ◆ Doodle Art
- ◆ Recreational Dance
- ◆ Black Powder Rifles
- ◆ Walking Sticks
- ◆ Atlatis
- ◆ Senior Activities
- ◆ Play Party Dancing
- ◆ Healing Relationships
- ◆ Nature Hike & Journaling
- ◆ Stained Glass
- ◆ Song Leadership
- ◆ Noodle Mania!

Networking Develop personal and professional contacts.



For information call:

Karen Ward
406-932-6747
Susan Michalakes
401-294-7209

Fellowship

Black Hills Recreation Leaders Laboratory is for ...

Anyone 16 years of age or older including but not limited to: City & Park Recreation Staff
~Youth Leaders & Volunteers ~ Camp Directors & Counselors ~ Activity Directors ~
Recreation Majors ~ Personnel Managers ~ Music & Recreation Therapists ~ Supervi-
sory Staff ~ Senior Center ~ Nursing/Group Home Staff ~ Educators, Extension Staff &
4-H Leaders ~ Administrators, & Instructors ~ Occupational Therapists

BHRL is for YOU!

63rd Annual Leadership Conference

Black Hills Recreation Leaders Laboratory October 3-9, 2009



Focus on Leadership

GENERAL SESSION:

Four Lenses Temperament Discovery This training is designed to help you understand the heart of those with whom you associate. *Four Lenses* is not a personality test; but rather a tool for understanding temperament, your temperament, and the temperament of those in your life. *Four Lenses Discovery* will help you understand the lens by which you view the world. Facilitator **Annette Barnes** is a licensed Recreational Therapist and full-time soldier with the Utah National Guard. Annette is the Family Program Director for the UTNG and is active in building the program nationally as well as in Utah.

MAJOR WORKSHOPS: (Participate in a concentrated study in one of these areas)

- ♦ **Enjoying Our Natural Resources** - Enjoy and feel comfortable learning about the environment with **Dr. Mike Cavey**, Retired Montana 4-H Specialist. The class will begin with erecting a tipi and learning how a tipi is and was connected to its environment. Many activities and techniques will be shared by participants in learning about the outdoors and themselves.
- ♦ **Improv** - Learn and practice the basic skills of improv comedy with **Brady Quarterman**, mental health therapist and standup comedian from Lakewood, CO. In this workshop you will practice and participate in warm-up exercises, improv games, and some teambuilding exercises. Then get serious by doing some playback theatre style exercises reenacting life stories and feelings.
- ♦ **Stained Glass** - Explore the art of stained glass with **Kim Maes**, Director of Laramie County Senior Services and Southern Wyoming Retired & Senior Volunteer Program. Participants will learn the tools of the trade – glass selection, cutting, grinding, assembly, foiling, solder, framing and display. By the end of the week, participants will be able to take home their stained glass creation. Materials cost: \$20.00.
- ♦ **Team Building Through the Eyes of a Leader** - Whether you are the leader of a team or the facilitator, team building can be as complex as the people in the team. Join **Sam Sikes**, founder of DoingWorks, Inc. and author of seven teambuilding books and two teambuilding simulations, as he guides you through an experiential journey from assessing where a team is to using experiential activities to develop a team to its full potential. There will be some talking and conceptual models, but a majority of our time will be spent learning proven activities to make a team stronger.

MINOR WORKSHOPS: (Choose up to eight of these tentative minor workshops to expand your recreation and leadership skills.)

- ♦ **Laugh Just for the Health of It** – Martha Jones, Great Falls, MT
- ♦ **Senior/Special Population Activities** - Virginia Black, Ennis, MT
- ♦ **Walking Sticks** – Teresa Beddoes, Lander, WY
- ♦ **Chenille Scarves** – Roxanna Johnson, Encampment, WY
- ♦ **Teambuilding** – Ben Radley, Perrysville, OH
- ♦ **Recreational Dancing**– Barry Jolliff, Wooster, OH
- ♦ **Undercurrents of Leadership** – Kevin Laughlin, Garden City, ID
- ♦ **Environmental Detective Hike**– Cathy Meyer, Bloomington, IN
- ♦ **Equine Assisted Learning** – Maggie Finefrock, Kansas City, MO
- ♦ **Black Powder Rifles / Atlatls** - Mike Cavey, Bozeman, MT

- ♦ **Basic Birding / Nature Journaling** – Cathy Meyer, IN
- ♦ **Stained Glass** – Kim Maes, Cheyenne, WY
- ♦ **Applique Needle Felting**– Patty Pace, Rochester, IN
- ♦ **Junior Master Gardener** – Kevin Laughlin, Garden City, ID
- ♦ **Rappelling**– Kyle Chitty, Laramie, WY
- ♦ **Healing Relationships** – Larry Pray, Minneapolis, MN
- ♦ **Song Leadership** - Bill Henderson, Lima, OH
- ♦ **Big Prop Games** - Lori Spearman, Casper, WY
- ♦ **Doodle Art** - Maggie Finefrock, Kansas City, MO
- ♦ **Play Party Dancing** - Bill Henderson, Lima, OH
- ♦ **Horse Back Riding**– Outlaw Ranch Camp Staff, Custer, SD
- ♦ **Noodle Mania!** - Sam Sikes, Liberty Hill, TX
- ♦ **Program Planning**- BHRL Players

Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first serve basis. Space is limited so please register early!

63rd Annual Leadership Conference